



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Estabrook, et al.

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Vascular System of a Patient

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Commissioner for Patents  
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 26, 2005, please amend this application as follows: